



Cancer

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Promoting & Protecting the Health of Iowans



Nearly 17,400 Iowans will be diagnosed with cancer this year and 6,400 will lose their lives to cancer. Cancer statistics are more than numbers. They represent real people. The Iowa Department of Public Health's cancer programs educate, detect, and treat cancer.

An Appanoose County woman that has been in the program for many years was diagnosed this year with breast cancer. She was very diligent to ensure receiving her annual mammogram. In a year's time, the woman was diagnosed with invasive breast cancer that was fairly advanced. She had chemotherapy to shrink the tumor prior to surgery being done. Her private insurance paid for her mammogram, but no additional health screening services associated with the annual visit. She feels very fortunate she received a re-enrollment letter from the program. She would not have done an annual visit this year since she's had no history of abnormal mammograms.

Did you know?

Cancer is the second leading cause of premature death for Iowans.

Why are cancer programs important to promoting and protecting the health of Iowans?

- Cancer touches nearly all Iowans.
- Iowa Department of Public Health programs promote healthy community environments, lifestyle behaviors, and cancer screening to protect health and identify cancer early when it can be more successfully treated.

Which Iowa Public Health Goals are we working to achieve?

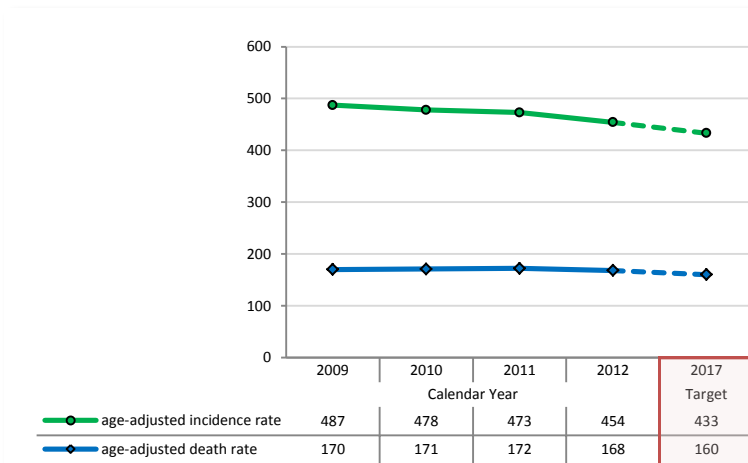
- Promote healthy living
- Strengthen the public health infrastructure

What do we do?

- **Iowa Comprehensive Cancer Control Program** collaborates with the Iowa Cancer Consortium and state partners to implement the state cancer control plan by:
 - ✓ Providing financial support to the Iowa Cancer Consortium to reduce the burden of cancer. To access the state cancer plan and additional information visit www.canceriowa.org and <http://idph.iowa.gov/ccp>.
 - ✓ Funding projects that educate Iowans about cancer prevention, screenings, treatment, and quality of life.
- **Iowa Care for Yourself Program** contracts with local health care providers and local boards of health to provide screening services to uninsured, underinsured or underserved women who are at or below 250% of the federal poverty level by:
 - ✓ Providing underserved eligible Iowans access to breast exams and mammograms, pelvic exams, and Pap tests.
 - ✓ Increasing awareness of early breast and cervical cancer detection, diagnosis and treatment among the general population and targeted populations of need.
 - ✓ Visit <http://idph.iowa.gov/cfy> for more information.
- **Iowa Get Screened: Colorectal Cancer Program** partners with the Primary Care Association (PCA) and the American Cancer Society (ACS) to work through Iowa's Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) to:
 - ✓ Implement evidence-based interventions (EBIs), improve quality assurance/quality improvement (QA/QI) activities and provide data tracking and monitoring to raise screening rates among Iowa's underserved, underinsured and uninsured populations
 - ✓ The program also collaborates with local health departments to provide limited colorectal cancer screening services to eligible Iowans. Visit <http://idph.iowa.gov/igs> for more information.
- **Cervical Cancer Screening Program (CCP)** provides cervical cancer screening and preventive services to a wider population than is currently served by the Iowa Care for Yourself Program. The CCP provides Iowa's low-income, uninsured, and underinsured women ages 19 – 64 and men ages 19 – 26, and those up to 300% of the federal poverty level access to the Human Papilloma Vaccine (HPV), cervical cancer screening and diagnostic services.

How do we measure our progress?

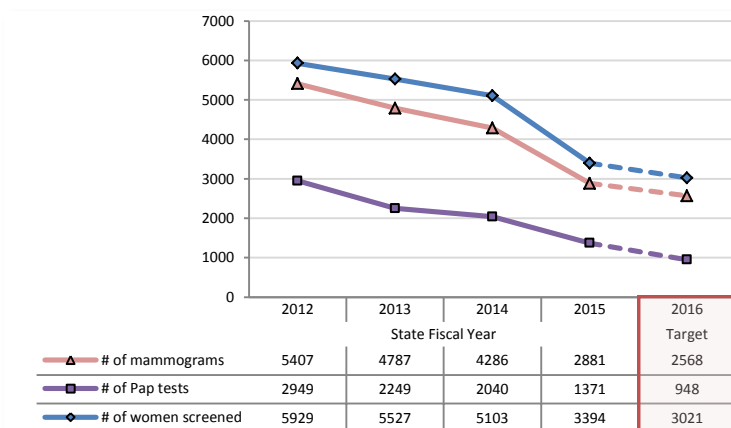
1 All cancer incidence and death rates (age-adjusted per 100,000 Iowans to the 2000 U.S. Standard Population).



Data Source: State Health Cancer Registry. Rates are per 100,000 and age-adjusted to the 2000 US Std Population (19 age groups - Census P25-1130) standard. 2013 & 2014 data is not yet released.

How are we doing? The incidence of cancer in Iowa has declined since 2009.

2 Number of women screened, and number of mammograms and Pap tests provided.



Data Source: BCCEDP Data Set. Data are available annually.

How are we doing? In 2015, the *Care for Yourself* Program screened 3,394 women with a provider office visit and/or mammography.

What can Iowans do to help?

1. Learn more about cancer risks and symptoms, prevention, early detection, treatment and survivorship.
2. Live healthier lives:
 - ✓ Do not use tobacco or quit if you do;
 - ✓ Maintain a reasonable weight;
 - ✓ Get physically active;
 - ✓ Eat a diet with at least five servings of fruits and vegetables per day; and
 - ✓ Avoid too much sun.
3. Have regular age and risk-appropriate cancer screenings (colonoscopy, mammogram, Pap test, skin check, etc.).
4. Join the Iowa Cancer Consortium and help reduce the burden of cancer in Iowa.

Visit <http://idph.iowa.gov/ccp> and www.canceriowa.org.

Expenditures

Iowa Comprehensive Cancer Control Program: general fund, and federal funds: K07-0865/0867; 0153-0416/594/598

Breast & Cervical Cancer Early Detection: federal funds, private grant*, and intra-state receipts* (Dept. of Transportation – License Plate Sales): 0153-0408/0416/0426/0594/0624; K07-0775/0852/0856/0867

Iowa Get Screened Colorectal Cancer Program: federal funds: 0153-0762/0769

	State Fiscal Year 2014 Actual	State Fiscal Year 2015 Actual	State Fiscal Year 2016 Estimate
State funds	\$858,061	\$1,017,894	\$1,020,993
Federal funds	\$3,140,618	\$2,931,657	\$2,908,675
Other funds*	\$329,405	\$155,092	\$195,411
Total funds	\$4,328,084	\$4,104,643	\$4,125,079
FTEs	10.33	10.18	11.75

Note: Funding information is intended to provide an overview of funding related to the program area. It does not include all federal and state requirements and/or restrictions for the use of funds. Contact the program area for more detailed budget information.



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